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M-1977 Resupply Vehicle

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This vehicle, based on a modified ZIL-135 chassis, has a center mounted crane flanked by two banks of rockets. It has been deployed with the M-1977 in two different mixes. In the Far East Military District the resupply vehicle is deployed on a two-for-one basis. In GSFG it appears to be deployed on a one-for-one basis. The ratio of resupply vehicles to launcher vehicles may well turn out to vary on a regional basis, and OSR's initial projection of resupply vehicle production assumes an average ratio of 1.5 vehicles per M-1977.

Based on this estimate the total requirement for resupply vehicles would be about 2,250. OSR has projected a production pattern similar to that for the M-1977.

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